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NIS COMMITTEE MEETING NO. 32

16 June 1949

1. The following members were present:

Dr. Appleton	State
Lt. Col. Runet	Army
Lt. Col. DeHority	Navy
Cdr. Howell	Navy
Lt. Col. Gould	Air Force
Lt. Col. Wade	Air Force
Maj. Gamber	Air Force
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2. It was announced that JMC has approved the Tentative NIS Production Schedule - FY 1950 subject to the receipt of adequate funds.

3. It was also announced that copies of the Tentative NIS Production Schedule - FY 1950, in the amounts required, have been distributed to the Agencies. Members were reminded that the classification of Standard Instructions for National Intelligence Surveys must be raised from CONFIDENTIAL to SECRET if the schedule is inserted therein.

25X1X7 4. The urgency of Agency replies concerning the releasability of FY 1949 NIS [REDACTED] in view of the fact that some of the material will soon be published, was pointed out. To date replies from Army and Air Force only have been received in G/Ba. The general position of Army is as follows:

a. ID does not approve of release of Department of the Army NIS material [REDACTED]

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c. ID does not approve of release of any COMMENTS ON PRINCIPAL SOURCES relating to Department of the Army material.

d. ID approves, in general, of the release of Department of the Army NIS material other than the above.

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The general position of Air Force is that all Department of the Air Force contributions for the FY 1949 Schedule received in G/Ba up to 30 June 1949 are releasable [REDACTED] under the conditions stated in the G/Ba memorandum of 5 April 1949. The general positions of State and Navy have not yet been determined.

The Chairman pointed out that while a general statement from each Agency is desired, each may at any time indicate specific modification concerning any contribution. Moreover, to ensure complete coordination, an Agency may feel free to attach a statement to each contribution as to its releasability.

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5. Memoranda requesting statements regarding releasability [REDACTED] of NIS material to be produced in FY 1950 were distributed to the members.

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6. The Petroleum Supplement to NIS was discussed. It was the consensus that, prior to definitive action with regard to the Supplement Program, the following decisions must be made:

a. What agency or activity appears best suited to produce the petroleum intelligence required by the NIS, bearing in mind that whatever agency produces the Petroleum Supplement will also produce Subsection 62C (Petroleum).

b. The nature and extent of the support needed to carry out this additional production requirement.

c. Method of approach to the Petroleum Industry for information.

Members were requested to determine informally within their Agencies by the next meeting their Agency views on these matters in order that formal recommendations on the production of a Petroleum Supplement may be made to the DCI and IAC.

7. The next meeting was set for 1000 hours, Thursday, 23 June 1949.

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